NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

STATE OF CALIFORNIA THE CALIFORNIA NATURAL RESOURCES AGENCY DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

Sealed bids for DEL VALLE DAM, BULKHEAD INSTALLATION/REMOVAL, SOUTH BAY AQUEDUCT, STATE WATER FACILITIES, SOUTH BAY AQUEDUCT, ALAMEDA COUNTY, CALIFORNIA, SPECIFICATION NO. 12-14, CONTRACT NO. C51460, will be received by the Department of Water Resources, 1416 Ninth Street, Room 418, Sacramento, California 95814, no later than 2:00 P.M. on WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 2012, at which time they will be publicly opened and read at a location in the vicinity of the office.

The work is defined in Section 01110 – Summary of Work, and includes but is not limited to the following principal features:

A. The project includes providing, when directed, labor, materials and equipment or services, construction equipment, hauling of construction equipment, for installation and removal of Department-furnished bulkhead gate, repairing cracks inside Flood Control Outlet Works Tunnel, application of coatings to bulkhead gate and flood control outlet works tunnel slide gates, painting station markings on the inside of the Del Valle Spillway Tunnel, and metal walkway installation. B. This project will require specialty equipment such as a high-capacity barge-mounted crane for installation and removal of the bulkhead gate. C. This project will require the services of a certified diving crew. D. Special submittals shall be made for diving operations. E. The extent of the project will be as determined by the Engineer, and the actual amount of work required will be only as directed. No guarantee is made that the work shown or specified in the contract will be needed or directed.

Drawings and specifications for the project may be obtained at the Department of Water Resources (DWR), 1416 Ninth St., Rm. 418, Sacramento, CA, between the hours of 7:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m. or by mail upon written request to the Department of Water Resources, P. O. Box 942836, Sacramento, CA 94236-0001, Attention: Jim Veres, Spec. No. 12-14, Telephone (916) 653-4867, Fax (916) 653-6166, or by e-mail at doe_specs@water.ca.gov. Drawings and specifications may be seen at the above location or at the office of the Department at Lancaster Project Headquarters, 121 West Carriage Ln., Ste. 101, Lancaster, CA, 93534. Questions relating to bidding may be directed to the Contract Coordinator of DWR in Sacramento, at the contacts listed above. Questions or requests for clarification of the drawings or specifications shall be made in writing no later than 10 days before the scheduled opening of bids. Response, if appropriate, will be furnished/sent to all prospective bidders on the DWR Planholder's List. A tour regarding the work site will be scheduled and conducted by the Department. IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT INTERESTED CONTRACTORS ATTEND THE INSPECTION TRIP.

Bid forms for this work are included in a separate booklet titled BID FORM, available only from the Department. Bids will be considered only if submitted for all the work required for the above project. Contractor's license classification required for this work: <u>A</u>.

The Department encourages bidders to explore certification as a Small Business and/or Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise and to utilize certified Small Business and Disabled Veteran Business Enterprises during the contract term.

MARK W. COWIN
Director of Water Resources

Dated: August 31, 2012 (Advertisement)